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Attention:

President

Subject : (Contract No. RD-122 and  
Task Order No. 1

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In accordance with your letter dated June 4, 1956, and negotiations held with [redacted] on 19 June 1956, we are enclosing, in quadruplicate, Contract No. RD-122 and Task Order No. 1.

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Please note that this contract and task order have been signed on behalf of the Government prior to signature on the part of your organization. It is requested that the contractual documents be signed by an authorized official of your organization and the Corporate Certificate in the contract be executed if the documents are found to be acceptable. Please retain the copy of the contract and the task marked "Contractor's File Copy" and return the remaining three copies of each to this office. In the event the documents are not acceptable, you are to advise the Contracting Officer as to your objections within ten (10) days. In the event you find minor changes, please contact this office by telephone on the number listed below. It may be possible then to come to an understanding over minor modifications. If the contract cannot be accepted as written, all copies must be returned to this office with your objections as stipulated above.

It is requested that the enclosed "Contractor's Statement of Contingent or Other Fees" be executed and returned with the signed copies of the contract.

Your attention is invited to the standard Nondiscrimination in Employment clause set forth in the contract and the importance of your compliance therewith. This clause is included in our contracts in accordance with a Presidential Executive Order. In this connection, enclosed is a notice entitled "Equal Economic Opportunity" for posting by you in accordance with this article.

NOTICE

This material contains information relating to the national defense of the United States within the meaning of the espionage laws, Title 18, U.S.C., Secs. 793 and 794, the transmission or revelation of which in any manner to an unauthorized person is prohibited by law.

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As a result of negotiations, the General and Administrative Expenses were reduced from [ ] and the fee was reduced from [ ]. The preproduction and production cost breakdown based on these new percentage figures is as follows:

<u>ITEMS</u>	<u>PREPRODUCTION</u>	<u>PRODUCTION</u>

UNIT SELLING PRICE OR TOTAL

CONTRACT PRICE EXCLUDING TOOLING	\$12,865.00	\$1,698.00 ea.
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The preproduction cost breakdown includes the delivery of two (2) units. The eight (8) units based on the \$1,698.00 unit price results in a total of \$13,984.00. The total for these eight (8) units added to the preproduction costs results in a total of \$196,449.00, the amount shown in the enclosed task order.

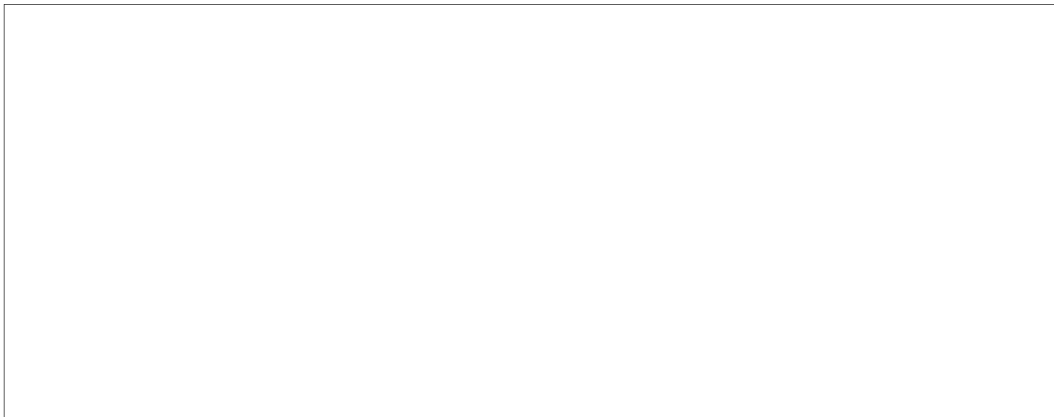
As previously indicated to you in our letter of May 9, 1956, the association of the sponsor that the undersigned represents with this contract, task order, equipment to be developed, progress reports and associated drawings is classified SECRET. The equipment per se is unclassified. Knowledge of the identity of the particular Government activity which the undersigned represents must be restricted to the fewest persons possible and then only to those who have been authorized in writing by this activity to have access to classified information. The identity of the Government activity shall be disclosed only on a verbal basis and shall never appear in writing in any of your documents. Any individual

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authorized to have this knowledge shall be required to sign a Secrecy Agreement which should be forwarded to the undersigned. A copy of the Secrecy Agreement is not to be retained. Your attention is drawn to Article 20 entitled "Security" of the contract. The documents incorporated by reference in said Article, i.e., "Security Requirements for Contractors" and "Contractor's Security Agreement," are enclosed for your guidance. We are also enclosing the "Procedure for Handling Material Classified 'SECRET' and 'CONFIDENTIAL'." Any correspondence initiated by you should not make reference therein to the surmises of any individuals of this organization. We are listing below the individuals of your company who have been granted contract security authorizations and have signed Secrecy Agreements:



Our records also indicate that [redacted] Executive Vice President, has been granted contract security authorization but has not signed a Secrecy Agreement. Please have him execute the enclosed Secrecy Agreement and return it to this office with the signed copies of the contract. Our files disclose that you executed the "Contractor's Security Agreement" in January 1952.

Any inquiries you may have regarding the base contract, task orders, or matters pertaining thereto, should be addressed to the undersigned Contracting Officer at the address shown at the beginning of this letter. At the occasion so warrants, you may contact the undersigned by telephone on [redacted]

Very truly yours,

/s/

[redacted]  
Contracting Officer

Enclosures:

see page 4 for listing thereof.

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Inclosures:

1. Contract No. RD-122 (4 Copies)
2. Task Order No. 1 (4 Copies)
3. Contractor's Statement of Contingent or Other Fees (1 Copy)
4. Equal Economic Opportunity Notice (1 Copy)
5. Secrecy Agreement (1 Copy)
6. Security Requirements for Contractors (1 Copy)
7. Contractor's Security Agreement (1 Copy)
8. Procedure for Marking Material Classified "SECRET" and "CONFIDENTIAL" (1 Copy)

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AMENDMENT NO. 2 to  
SPECIFICATION NO. 56-A-1046-A

### Section 1.3

#### Nomenclature

Delete the entire section and substitute:  
The principal components of the AS-3 shall be identified as follows:

AT-3	Transmitter
TP-3	Printer
RD/D-11	Receiver
CO-3	Coder
AP/AS-3	AC Power Pack
BA-3	Battery Pack

### Section 3.3.2.1.

#### Recognition Keying

Line 4 delete so much as reads "This will be accomplished when the function switch of Section 5.5.1. is at the position marked "START" and substitute "This shall be accomplished by the operation of a push button control".

### Section 3.3.2.2.

#### Message Keying

Line 3 - Delete so much as reads "For the transmission of the message, the function switch is set at MSG, and when in this position, the keyer motor will be activated, which will in turn drive the message tape past the keying scanner." and substitute "Message transmission shall be accomplished by the operation of a push button control."

### Section 3.4.

#### AK-3 Keyer

Delete AK-3 designation. Delete entire paragraph and substitute "The keyer shall be a lightweight, motor-driven component of the transmitter capable of pulling the keying text medium at speeds sufficient to move 125 five-character groups of literal text past the scanning head in 25 seconds.

A typical sample group is CODEX, which contains 50 bands.

### Section 3.5.

#### AP/AS-3 and AP/BA-3 Power Supply Units

Delete Section heading and substitute "Input Power Design". Delete entire paragraph and substitute: "The AS-3 shall be designed to function from either an AC source for 12 volt batteries at the operators option."

**Section 3.5.1.**

**AP/AC-3 Power Supply**

Add new sentence "The output voltage from the AP/AC-3 shall be a nominal 12 volts DC which shall plug into the DC power supply contained in the AT-3 transmitter."

**Section 3.5.2.**

**AP/BA-3 Power Supply**

Delete Section heading and substitute DC Power Supply. Add new sentence "The DC power supply shall be contained in the AT-3 transmitter."

**Section 5.3.**

**Dimensions**

Line 6 - Delete  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " and substitute  $2\frac{3}{8}$  inches.

**Section 5.5.1.**

**Circuit Function Switch**

Delete Section heading and substitute "Circuit Function Switches"

Delete entire paragraph and substitute "A centrally located function switch shall be provided with three positions for OFF, RECEIVE AND TRANSMIT. Switches for the operation of the RECOGNITION and MESSAGE TRANSMIT function shall be of the push button type."